CLAIMS

A process for preparing a low-electrostatically-charging granular polytetrafluoroethylene powder prepared by contacting a polar group-containing organic compound having an electrostatic chargingdry (to, a_ granular substantially ability when preventing polytetrafluoroethylene powder and then drying the granular powder while the polar group-containing organic compound is kept remaining in the powder.

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The preparation process of Claim 1, wherein the polar group-containing organic con/pound having an electrostatic chargingpreventing ability when substantially dry is contacted in the form of an aqueous solution to the granular polytetrafluoroethylene powder and then the granular powder is dried without washing.

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of Claims 1-and 2, wherein The preparation process of any the granular polytetrafluoroethylene powder does not contain a filler.

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The preparation process of any of Claims 1 and 2, wherein the granular polytetrafluoroethylene powder contains an electrically insulating filler.

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Claims 1 to 4 wherein The preparation process of any the polar group-containing organic compound is a surfactant.

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The preparation process of Claim 5, wherein the

surfactant is an anionic or nonionic surfactant.

7. The preparation process of any of Claims 5 and 6 wherein the surfactant is used in the form of an aqueous solution.

8. A granular polytetrafluoroethylene powder containing a polar group-containing organic compound in an amount of 10 to 300 ppm and having an electrostatic charge of not more than 50 V.

9. The powder of Claim 8, wherein the electrostatic charge is not more than 10 V.

10. The powder of Flaim 8 or 9 wherein the polar groupcontaining organic compound is a nonionic surfactant.

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